## G. F. CONN



1883—Born on farm, Richland County, O., of Dutch parentage.

1888-1899—Attended country school to the 8th grade.

1899-1903 Worked on a dairy farm at \$17.00 per month.

1903-1905—Painter and contractor

1905-1907—Attended the University of Tennessee, at Chattanooga. Paid my way selling newspapers, making \$60 per month.

Mass. In summer managed news stand at Park Avenue Hotel.

1989—Went with the Bissel Electrical Co., of Toledo, O., as clerk and city salesman.

1916—In March entered the 5 and 10c business at Toledo, as stockman at \$10 per week. W. A. Green was manager. July was transferred to Chicago store as floorman.

1911—Transferred to main floor and assistant manager under Mr. Smith of our Chicago store.

1912-1915—In February sent to open and manage Newark, O., store. On Christmas day married Miss Myrtle Madera of Toledo, O. Remained in Newark for two and one-half years.

1915—July, transferred to Flint, Mich., to manage store No. 12 of which I am still Manager.

1917-Purchased a Buick automobile.

1918—Purchased a home for wife and family of one boy. Chosen financial chairman of the Central Christian Church of Flint, which we built a sixty thousand dollar plant. Captain of team in Liberty Loan, Red Cross and Was Stamp compagns.

1919—Was made a director of the Boys' Y clubs of the city of Flint.

## T. B. CRITTENDEN \_

1890 Born at Greenville, Mich.

1910 Graduated from Mt. Pleasant

1911—Worked in the Vicksburg State Bank, Vicksburg, Mich.

1912—Took a business course at Ferris Institute Big Rapids, Mich.

1913—Started to work for S. S. Kresge Co. at Muskegon. Later worked in the Akron, Cleveland and Detroit No. 123 stores.

1914 Sent to Leavenworth, Kan., to open that store.



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